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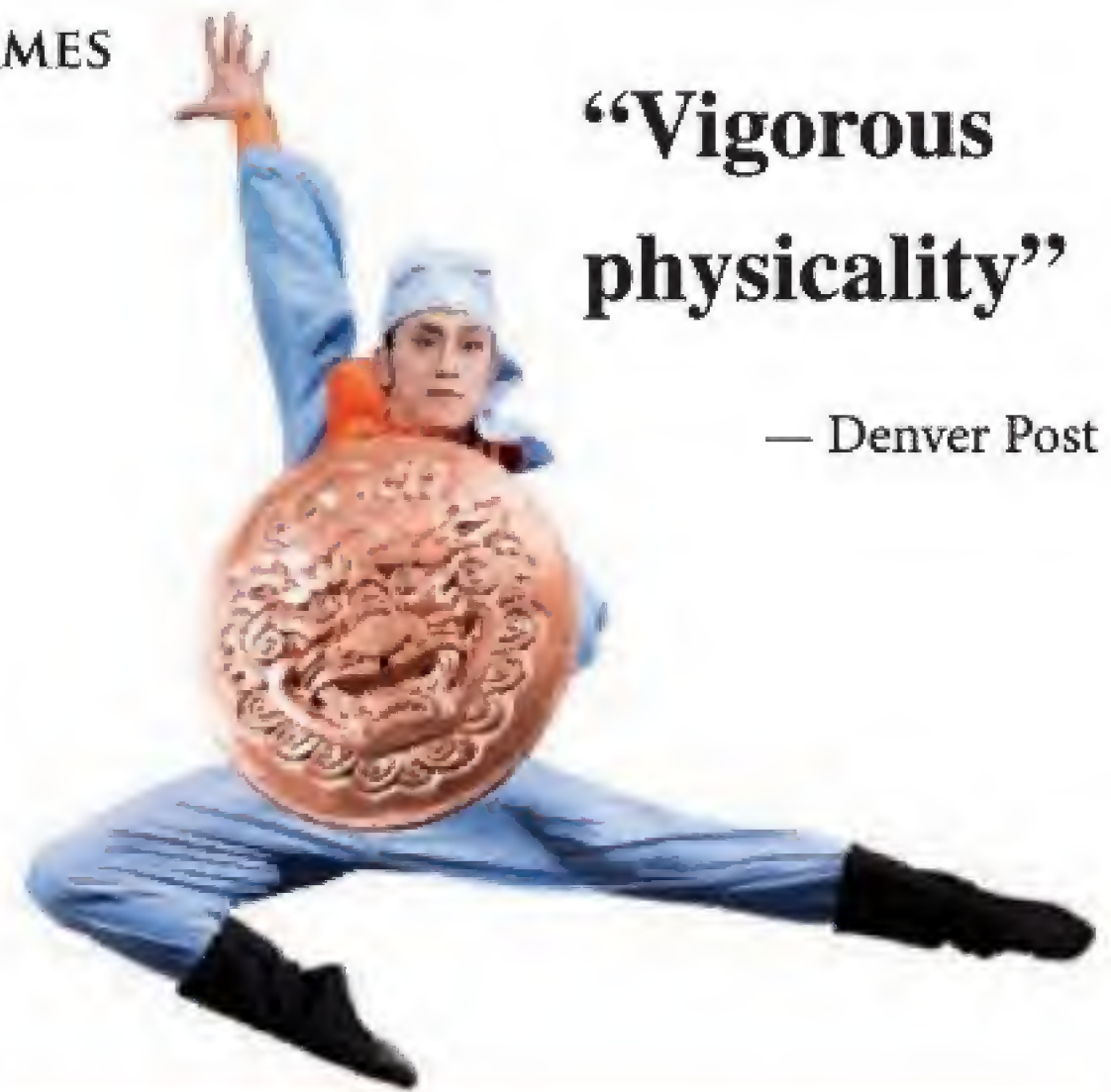
These dances give dramatic portrayal to the cherished stories of past and present. Their figures embody the most exalted virtues of Chinese civilization, and convey a message or moral that is still relevant in our day. Many have inspired people for generations, such as the tales of heroine Mulan and General Yue Fei.

## FOLK & ETHNIC DANCE

The many distinctive ethnic groups within China and around its borders provide a wonderful array of material from which to choreograph and compose. These dances might whisk you away to the plains of Tibet, the shores of a Dai village, or the sprawling plains of Mongolia.

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**NFL Playoffs.** Andrew Luck's Colts upset Peyton Manning's Broncos in Denver on Sunday, setting up a clash of the league's top old and young clutch signal callers for this coming weekend at Gillette Stadium. PAGE 13



# As Luck would have it

Tom Brady and Andrew Luck will square off on Sunday for the right to represent the AFC in this year's Super Bowl. / GETTY IMAGES

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## NEWS

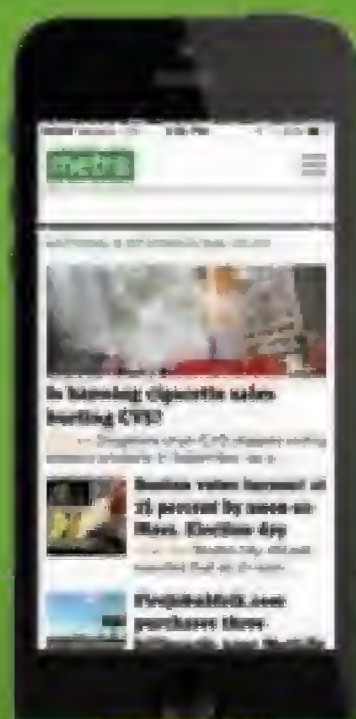
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# No pants, no problem for some Sunday MBTA riders

**Look Ma, no pants.** Boston subway commuters joined a global event to ride without pants.

Some participants told mystified T riders they had urinated themselves. Others, their dry cleaners caught fire. The bold met the questions with confused stares, as if the inquiring minds were the weird ones.

Undeterred by the weather, hundreds turned out for the No Pants MBTA Ride on Sunday, commuting pantless. On the T. In January.

They were questioned often. The most common inquiry: Why?

"There's a big joy in the confusion, and then the delight from doing something unexpected," said Helen Swanson, a 29-year-old Web developer from Cambridge.

"You have to keep a straight face while you're doing it, I think that's the hardest part."

Despite the temperatures between the low-20s and the teens, crowds organized in Pemberton Square, where they queued up and were given cards that told them what route to take and when to take their pants off.

The cards contained various combinations of Orange, Green, Red and Blue Lines. Various people took their pants off at various stops.

The event, organized by BostonSOS founder James Co-balt, is part of a global event started by Improv Everywhere in New York in 2002.

"The first year I ever did this was in Chicago. It's so easy here in Boston by comparison. Chicago is elevated and right off the Great Lakes. Even at its worse, Boston isn't as bad as that," said Co-balt, who always encourages No Pants riders to don a few layers of underwear — you know, just in case. **METRO**



Hundreds participated in the 2015 No Pants MBTA ride on Sunday. The event was launched in New York City in 2002. / NICOLAUS CZARNECKI, METRO

## Chatham hostages released unharmed



Chatham Police Chief Mark Pawlina discusses the case. / CAPE COD TIMES

A Cape Cod man faces kidnapping charges after a tense hostage standoff in Chatham early Sunday.

Chatham police said two men and a woman were being held hostage by 28-year-old Christian Joseph Sica, who was armed with a gun, before 5 a.m. Sunday.

Sica told the two men to leave his apartment at 11 Chatham Bars Avenue, while the woman was forced to stay, according to police.

The two men fled the apartment and called the cops. Police secured the area around the downtown Chatham apartment and called in the Cape Cod Regional SWAT team.

While details are still scarce, police said the woman Sica was holding eventually managed to flee the apartment unharmed. The SWAT team then entered Sica's apartment, tasered him after he resisted arrest.

and took him into custody.

Police recovered a fully loaded .45 caliber gun inside the apartment. Sica now faces charges of kidnapping, assault and battery with a dangerous weapon, assault on a police officer, possession of a firearm and assault with a dangerous weapon.

Chatham Police Chief Mark Pawlina said his department is investigating what led to the standoff.

**DANNY McDONALD**

### Crime

#### Worcester woman faces sixth OUI charge

A Worcester woman was charged with her sixth drunken driving offense Sunday.

State police pulled over a Toyota Camry driven by

Lisa B. Cook, 48, on Rte 9 just after midnight for speeding, failing to yield and a marked lanes violation.

Cook failed field sobriety tests and became agitated and combative.

She was arrested for operating under the influence of alcohol (OUI).

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### Crime

#### Police seek info in city's first homicide of 2015

Boston police are seeking information about a Roxbury shooting that killed one and injured three last week.

Police said Sunday they responded to a report of

gunshots near 104 Harrishof Street around 10:45 p.m. Thursday.

Police found four victims in a car suffering from gunshot wounds.

One 24-year-old male — identified as Alex DoSouto in a police report — was pronounced dead at the scene. **METRO**



Memorial for Alex DoSouto, 24, Boston's first homicide of 2015.

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## Boston: Liberte! Fraternite! Egalite!

A large crowd gathered on the Boston Common on Sunday in solidarity with the people of Paris. An estimated 1.6 million people marched in Paris, a peaceful counterprotest of last week's terror attacks that killed 17 people.

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## Olympics in Boston? Residents take to Twitter revealing split on Olympic bid

With news breaking Thursday night that the U.S. Olympic Committee chose Boston as its host city choice for a 2024 Summer Olympics bid, Bostonians aired their opinions on the prospect of hosting the \$10 billion event in the Hub.

Supporters offered little reasoning for their approval.

"Please let the 2024 Olympics be in Boston. That would be so tight," tweeted @devin\_stengel.

Opponents didn't mince words.

"I didn't think this would ever need to be explicitly said, but: Holding the Olympics in Boston is [expletive] stupid. Don't do it," tweeted @dolohov.

@SteveRushin referenced Boston's transportation infrastructure: "I am already stuck in traffic for the 2024 Boston Olympics."

Local group No Boston Olympics said Friday their members were "fired up," and announced a public



A satirical logo proposed by artist Todd Radom / TODD RADOM TWITTER FEED

### More from Twitter

- "Boston hosting the Olympics would be just about the worst thing possible" @HALFBLOCKMAN
- "Have people who think the Olympics in Boston is a good idea ever been to Boston?" @THEMAINEMETS
- "The Summer Olympics in Boston is a horrible idea" @GHOST\_WAVE
- "It would be very awesome for Boston host 2024 Olympics!! #Boston2024" @PHMEG

meeting on Jan. 16 to be held in either Boston or Cambridge.

"Boston2024's lack of transparency is inconsistent with the Commonwealth's values," the group said of the panel behind the advancement of the Boston

Olympics bid.

Mayor Marty Walsh on Friday vowed that if the city hosts the 2024 Summer Olympics it would avoid lavish public spending that has plagued Olympics in recent years.

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Roxbury

**Shooting kills one, injures three**

Boston Police are looking for the gunman in a Roxbury shooting that injured three and killed one last week.

Police said Sunday they responded to a report of gunshots near 104 Harrishof Street around 10:45 p.m. Thursday.

Police found four victims in a car suffering from gunshot wounds. One 24-year-old man was pronounced dead at the scene. Two other men in their twenties were taken to Boston Medical Center. They are expected to recover.

A woman in her twenties was taken to Brigham and Women's Hospital with life threatening injuries. Her condition was unclear Sunday. Police did not release any of the victims' names.

Anyone with any information about the investigation can call BPD's tip line anonymously at 1-800-494-TIPS, or text TIP to 27463.

DANNY McDONALD

**Corruption probe. Former probation officials' appeal brings prison respite**



Elizabeth V. Tavares / BOSTON GLOBE

Former Probation Commissioner John O'Brien and his former deputy Elizabeth Tavares were temporarily spared incarceration three days before they were due to report to prison following federal convictions in a for running a clandestine patronage hiring ring.

William Burke III, another former deputy, was convicted of conspiring in the scheme but was not sentenced to prison.

A three-judge Appeals Court panel decided Friday to let them remain free while their appeals are pending.

"Whatever one may think about the so-called

'culture of patronage' in state government, Mr. O'Brien worked honorably and tirelessly for decades to serve and protect the citizens of the Commonwealth." O'Brien's attorney William Fick in a statement.

A spokeswoman for U.S. Attorney Carmen Ortiz declined to comment.

O'Brien was sentenced to 18 months in prison, while Tavares received three months.

Judge William Young issued sentences below federal guidelines, explaining that patronage had previously been widely practiced within the state's judiciary.

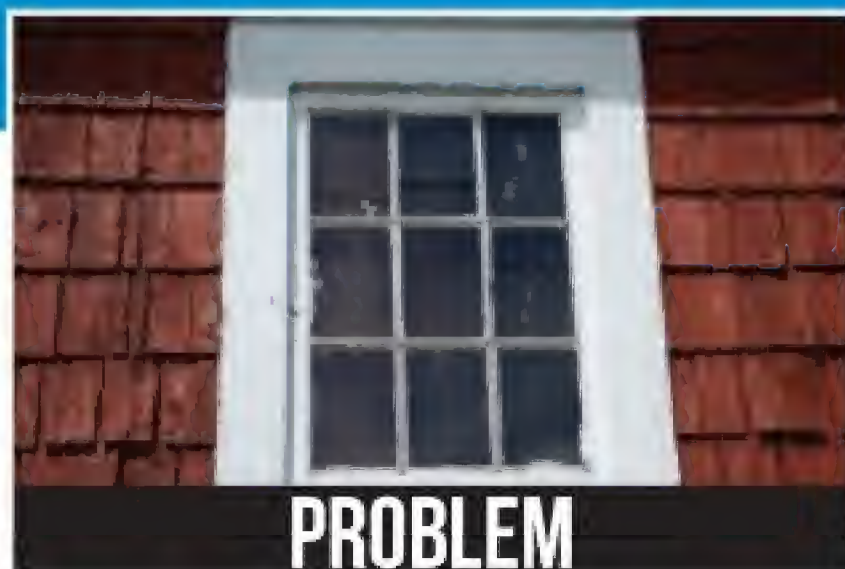
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Jobs for Pals

Federal prosecutors said O'Brien would grant phony interviews to job-seekers while making hiring and promotion decisions based on applicants' political ties.

O'Brien was also convicted of providing House lawmakers illegal gratuities in the form of probation jobs.

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# Official: Obama to hold global security summit next month

**Terrorism.** The gathering of justice and interior chiefs came as France mourned 17 victims of Islamist gunmen.

President Barack Obama will invite allies to a Feb. 18 security summit in Washington to try and prevent violent extremism, Attorney General Eric Holder said on Sunday after meeting his European counterparts in Paris.

"We will bring together all of our allies to discuss ways in which we can counteract this violent extremism that exists around the world," Holder told reporters.

French Interior Minister Bernard Cazeneuve said after



A police officer reacts as he is escorted from the scene following the hostage situation at Port de Vincennes on Jan. 9 in Paris. / GETTY IMAGES

the meeting that European interior ministers had agreed to boost cooperation in an effort to thwart further jihadist attacks.

Holder said Europe needed urgent progress in establishing a European Passenger Name Record database, which would facilitate the exchange of data

about passengers between member states.

"We are convinced of the need for such a tool, to follow those who travel to terrorist operating theaters or who return from there," he said, adding that this database would also be useful in the fight against other serious crimes. **REUTERS**

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# AirAsia flight's black box found by divers, marked for retrieval

**Clues.** The black box should help answer why the plane crashed en route to Singapore from Surabaya, Indonesia.

Search teams found the black box from the crashed AirAsia jetliner, which will help investigators unlock how QZ8501 plunged into the Java Sea with 162 people on board.

Divers identified the location of the black box and marked the area for retrieval. Transport Ministry spokesman J.A. Barata said Sunday, without specifying the exact location. The cockpit-voice recorder and flight-data recorder are together known as the black box.

"The black box records critical aircraft flight parameters," said Mark D. Martin, chief executive officer of Dubai-based Martin Consulting LLC.

Flying at 32,000 feet, the plane's pilot had asked to rise to a higher altitude, citing clouds, officials have said. By the time air traffic controllers responded some two minutes later there was no reply from the plane. There were storms along the plane's flight path, yet other planes managed to



Crew of the Crest Onyx ship prepare to unload recovered wreckage of AirAsia flight. CREDIT: GETTY IMAGES

## Quoted

"This will be vital in understanding what happened during the last crucial moments of the flight." Martin

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List

# The most painful Globe moments

## 1. Jennifer Lopez and Jeremy Renner:

While presenting, Renner said that Lopez had "the globes," meaning her boobs. Classy!

## 2. Competing *Cosby* impressions:

Amy Poehler and Tina Fey broke the seal on Bill Cosby jokes early, but segued into trying to get his voice right while the audience cringed.

## 4. The lack of A/C:

This was also a remarkably shiny Golden Globes, too, with presenters, winners and random audience members looking very, very sweaty.



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# Everything is awkward at this year's Golden Globes

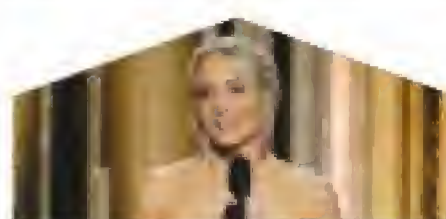
**Awards.** Tina Fey and Amy Poehler's last stint hosting the Globes was during a weird year.

The reigning theme on the red carpet of this year's Golden Globes might have been red gowns, but inside the Beverly Hilton it was awkwardness — horrible, painful awkwardness. Even veteran hosts Tina Fey and Amy Poehler couldn't escape the cringe-inducing atmosphere in the hotel ballroom, especially when launching into dueling Bill Cosby impressions.

Of course, the real point of the night was the awards. In the world of TV, things were less awkward than they were surprising, as "Jane the Virgin" star Gina Rodriguez surprised awards prognosticators by taking Best Actress in a Comedy or Musical. Joanne Froggatt brought home her first Golden Globe, a Supporting Actress trophy, for "Downton Abbey," taking home an award her co-star Maggie Smith previously won.



Tina Fey and Amy Poehler returned to hosting duties at the 2015 Golden Globes. PAUL DRINKWATER, NBC



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But the big winner of the night was freshman FX drama "Fargo," which earned an award for the show itself and supporting actor Billy Bob Thornton.

On the film side, J.K. Simmons scored Best Supporting Actor for "Whiplash," while Patricia Arquette won for her supporting work in "Boyhood."

Even before the show began, hosts Fey and Poehler con-

firmed that this go at hosting the awards would be their last. "Next year they should go with someone younger and easier to work with, like a Japanese hologram," Poehler joked on the red carpet. Maybe next year's will be less awkward.

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# Glam at the Golden Globes

Not-so-innocent white; bold red and sparkle galore ruled the red carpet. **TINA CHADA**



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IN ZUHAIR MURAD

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## CULTURE



### Looking back

2001: Amy joins *Saturday Night Live*, where head writer Tina has been since 1998.

2004: Tina and Amy become the first all-female anchor team on *SNL's Weekend Update*.

2004: Both appear in the stellar "Mean Girls," which Tina wrote.

2008: Tina and Amy headline "Baby Mama."

2008: Tina and Amy stay while presenting at the Emmys, making the case for their eventual Golden Globes gig.

2012: Amy makes a sneaky cameo appearance as a younger version of Tina during a live episode of "30 Rock."

2013: Tina and Amy host the Golden Globes for the first time, upping the ratings for the telecast to 19.7 million. The previous year, Ricky Gervais had brought in 16.8 million.

2013: They team up as Entertainment Tonight reporters during the massive anchor rumble in "Anchorman 2" — arguably the funniest part of the sequel.

2014: Tina and Amy host the Globes again, increasing ratings to 20.9 million, a 10-year high.

2015: Tina and Amy say goodbye to the Globes and to each other — for now at least. They'll be back together in theaters with the comedy "Sisters" this December.



## Blake Lively's having fun with the baby news

So maybe the real reason Blake Lively held off on announcing the birth of her daughter for a couple of weeks was so that she could punk her friends. When asked about Lively's big news, her "Sisterhood of the Traveling Pants" co-star Amber Tamblyn responds with a measured, "That bitch! She tricked me," according

to People magazine. Tamblyn recently visited Lively's Bedford, New York home totally unaware that the nursery was now occupied. "I went up there and I didn't know. Everybody knew but me, and she does that s— to me," Tamblyn explains. "She was texting me about wallpaper. She was like, 'You've got to come see my new wallpaper.' And I went up there, and there was her baby." Enjoy it while you can, Blake, because that trick only works so many times.



"WANNA SEE THE WALLPAPER  
IN THE NURSERY?  
...AND THE BABY?"

"WHAAAAA?"  
GETTY IMAGES



## Bill Cosby lets rape protesters 'have their say'

You may be not at all surprised to learn that Bill Cosby's recent run of shows in Canada did not end without incident. At the final performance in Hamilton, Ontario Friday night, protesters who had made their presence known outside the mini-tour's venues all week finally got a break from the cold when they staged a 30-person walk-out during the performance chanting, "We believe the women," according to the Hollywood Reporter. One even reportedly shouted, "You're a piece of s—, you rapist." While

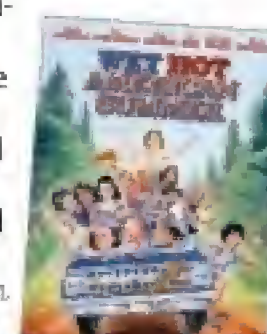
the protesters were met with a swift security escort and chants of "We believe the men" and "We love you, Bill" in response, Cosby himself pleaded for calm, urging, "Stop, let them have their say."

Earlier in the night, Cosby had warned the crowd about a possible outburst with, "Whatever happens here tonight, if there's some sort of outburst we just need to keep calm and it doesn't have to last that long." Which, let's be honest, he probably could've phrased that better.

## Get ready for more 'Wet Hot American Summer'

An eight-episode series sequel to the 2001 cult comedy film "Wet Hot American Summer" may sound like one of the stranger ideas that Netflix has ever had, but it just got infinitely more awesome. Deadline reports that the series has already started filming, with "virtually its entire ensemble cast returning." We have no idea who from the original cast is included in that "virtually" bit, but that's a lot of star power to choose from. The original film included Bradley Cooper, Amy Poehler, Paul Rudd, Janeane Garofalo, Ken Marion, Christopher Meloni, Molly Shannon and David Hyde Pierce. Guess we'll just have to wait and see.

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## Yeah, about those 'un-retouched' Justin Bieber pics

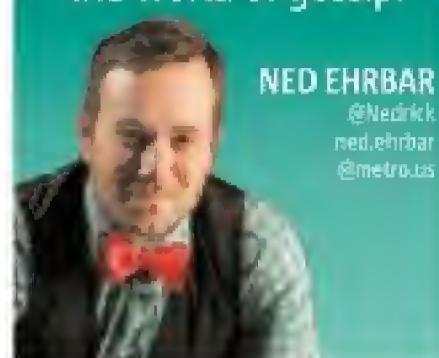


MERT ALAS AND MARCUS PIGGOTT  
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So those supposedly original photos from Justin Bieber's Calvin Klein photo shoot showing a much skinnier and less well-endowed Biebs that hit the Internet late last week? Totally fake. Maybe the fact that they were leaked to a Web site you've never heard of before should've been a clue. Or maybe a closer look at Bieber's crotch — and again, I'm really sorry I have to keep suggesting you look at that — would have clearly shown that the "un-retouched" photos were actually more Photoshopped than the official versions. That Web site, Breatheheavy.com, by the way, removed the image and posted a retraction, saying it had received a cease and desist letter. The Calvin Klein folks swear that Bieber acted like a perfect little gentleman the entire shoot, and Bieber's camp insists the final image is 100 percent Bieber's Canadian bacon.

## THE WORD

Ned Ehrbar takes on the world of gossip.



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### Daily video

## Ready for more 'Walking Dead'?

We've still got four weeks to go until "The Walking Dead" returns to finish out season five, but that doesn't mean AMC can't give you something to slake your thirst. Like, for instance, this arty teaser with an ominous Rick Grimes (Andrew Lincoln) voiceover about the importance of survival and togetherness. The brief, slow-mo-heavy clip features the main cast using a whole lot of



AMC / YOUTUBE

bullets as they run through a smoky forest — which as anyone who watches the show knows is a terrible, terrible idea since loud noises like gunfire just attract more zombies. Also, slow motion is probably not a great idea either. But whatever. They look really cool.

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An ambitious, go-getter client of mine often berates herself when she doesn't achieve all her goals for the week, even when she encounters setbacks beyond her control. Although I counsel her to be kind to herself, she worries that cutting herself slack is just an excuse for not doing enough.

It's an understandable concern, especially in the new year, when people feel a need to make big changes in the areas of their life where they feel dissatisfied — perhaps their diet, work, relationships or living situation. Yet, while some believe that mental self-flagellation will spur them into action, it usually leaves them feeling zapped of the precious energy needed to push forward.

That's why every new year's aspiration should be accompanied by a resolution to be gentler with ourselves, especially when progress doesn't happen on our timetable. The question is, how do we discipline ourselves without becoming our own worst enemies? And how can we be kind to ourselves without lapsing into complacency?

## Give credit

### Recognize small accomplishments

Give yourself mental gold stars for the baby steps you make toward achieving your greater goals.



Being kind to yourself gives you the freedom to grow into who you want to be. / ISTOCK

The key is to become a firm but loving parent — to yourself. Try these good parenting techniques that strike a balance between discipline and compassion.

## Practice patience

Change takes time. Sometimes we expect change to happen faster than it actually does. Giving time for events to naturally unfold can help

us stay on track without getting discouraged.

## Establish accountability

Set realistic, achievable goals and check in with yourself regularly to see if you are meeting them. If not, try to figure out what got in the way and make adjustments. When you slip up or get sidetracked, acknowledge your missteps without lapsing

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## Be supportive

### Give yourself unconditional love

A good parent sees the best in their children and is forgiving of their foibles. Commit to being kind and loving to yourself no matter what. Did you meet your goals? Great. Celebrate your successes. But if you miss the mark, as people often do, remind yourself that you are still lovable.



## Positivity

### Be encouraging

A good parent provides comfort and support to keep their children moving forward, even in the face of obstacles. So when the going gets tough, play inspiring music, find a positive affirmation or call a friend who's always cheering for you.

## Money matters. How to ask for a raise in 2015

The art of negotiation takes practice, especially when it comes to younger workers — particularly young women — who are looking for their first raise.

"There are certain cultural assumptions that we take on as women," notes author Jessica Porter. "It's

## The details

### Think of a package deal

"If you are only negotiating salary, there's only so far that you can go," Porter reminds us. Other requests can include a new title and tuition reimbursement.

things like 'I don't want to appear greedy to my boss.' Women also often don't have the same access to information as their male peers do."

Along with Deborah Kolb, professor emerita at Simmons College, Porter is the co-author of the upcoming book "Negotiating at Work: Turn Small Wins Into Big Gains." We asked her how women can get the salary they deserve and move ahead in their careers.

**1 Research your competitors.** "The first thing I would do is gather as much information as possible," she says. "What do people at other companies make? That's how you know what to ask for."



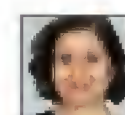
Doing your research is key to getting the salary you deserve. / ISTOCK

**2 Know your workplace.** It's also important to understand how things work at your own company. "What does your boss value?" Porter asks. "What does your boss think is important? If your boss thinks that the income brought in from sales is important, start to think about how you can talk about that."

**3 Prepare for a lengthy process.** "The longer you can stretch the negotiation process, the more suc-

cess you are going to have," says Porter. "We think of negotiation as something that takes place in a finite amount of time. That's not true."

**4 Remember that you deserve this.** "It can really help to reflect on why you are asking for these things," she says. "There's a reason you are asking for what you are asking for."



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**♒ Aquarius | Jan. 21-Feb. 18.**  
Keep looking ahead. You should question the connection with anyone who tries to stand in your way or curtail your freedom.

**♓ Pisces | Feb. 19-March 20.**  
Confusion will set in if someone from your past attempts to reconnect. Examine your history with this person before you consider reviving what you left behind.

**♈ Aries | March 21-April 20.**  
You will face someone who isn't likely to agree with you. Rather than continue the conflict, direct your effort into your pursuits. Success will be the best way to handle adversity.

**♉ Taurus | April 21-May 21.**  
Rather than share private information, look for a solution to your issues on your own. A promising partnership is in your future, provided you make a reasonable concession.

**♊ Gemini | May 22-June 20.**  
You are at your best when you are relaxed. Don't let work pressures build up. For your downtime, plan a new form of amusement that includes your closest friends.

**♋ Cancer | June 21-July 22.**  
Search for an isolated location and complete unfinished projects or business. Family members may be difficult to deal with, so minimize your contact until things settle down.

**♌ Leo | July 23-Aug. 22.**  
Others may not be aware of the hard work you do, so don't be surprised if someone is envious of the rewards you receive. Being humble will alleviate the jealousy of others.

**♍ Virgo | Aug. 23-Sept. 22.**  
Romance is in the picture. If you make the first move when you meet someone new, you will open the door to a permanent connection or strengthen a current relationship.

**♎ Libra | Sept. 23-Oct. 22.**  
Do your best to reflect on your strengths and weaknesses. Be honest and consider how to make adjustments that will bring you significant returns.

**♏ Scorpio | Oct. 23-Nov. 21.**  
Some improvements to your living quarters will be most gratifying. Make changes that will not only add to your comfort, but will be convenient as well.

**♐ Sagittarius | Nov. 22-Dec. 21.**  
An unexpected event will upset you. Don't make the mistake of compounding the problem by taking out your dissatisfaction on someone who doesn't deserve it. **EUGENIA LAST**

## Letters to the editor

## The pen is more polite than the sword

**Re: 'Be considerate in polite society' (Metro, Jan. 9-11)**  
Despite his opening disclaimer, Lewis Walsh comes dangerously close to blaming the victims of Charlie Hebdo for their own slaughter. New ideas and intellectual growth are impossible without questioning and contradicting deeply held beliefs. Just whose sacred beliefs would he have us hold as

sacrosanct? Those of white supremacists? Jihadists? Members of the Flat Earth Society? No, Lewis, the function of art is not just to decorate; it helps — sometimes forces us — to gain new perspectives. Furthermore, I can think of a no more "polite" way of disagreeing with someone's beliefs than with a pencil and a piece of paper. Je suis Charlie.

**MANDA HEGARDT, VIA EMAIL**

I appreciate what Lewis Walsh was trying to say last Friday in cautioning we should "carefully consider the sacred

beliefs of others," but in this context Walsh's message is misdirected. Madeel Abdullah, whose letter was published side-by-side with Walsh's, points out the Quran's clear-language prohibition against murder. The only ones making a mockery of "sacred beliefs" are those who use those beliefs — backed by a few select phrases from their supposedly holy books — to attack and murder journalists in their offices, or behead captives and post it on YouTube, or assassinate doctors and bomb medical clinics, or call for the imprisonment and

murder of those different from them and so on. Walsh is correct when he says there are limits to what any society, "polite" or otherwise, can and should tolerate; the casual use of religion to murder and terrorize is definitely at the top of that list, while artistic mockery of the same should be at the bottom, not vice versa as Walsh would have it.

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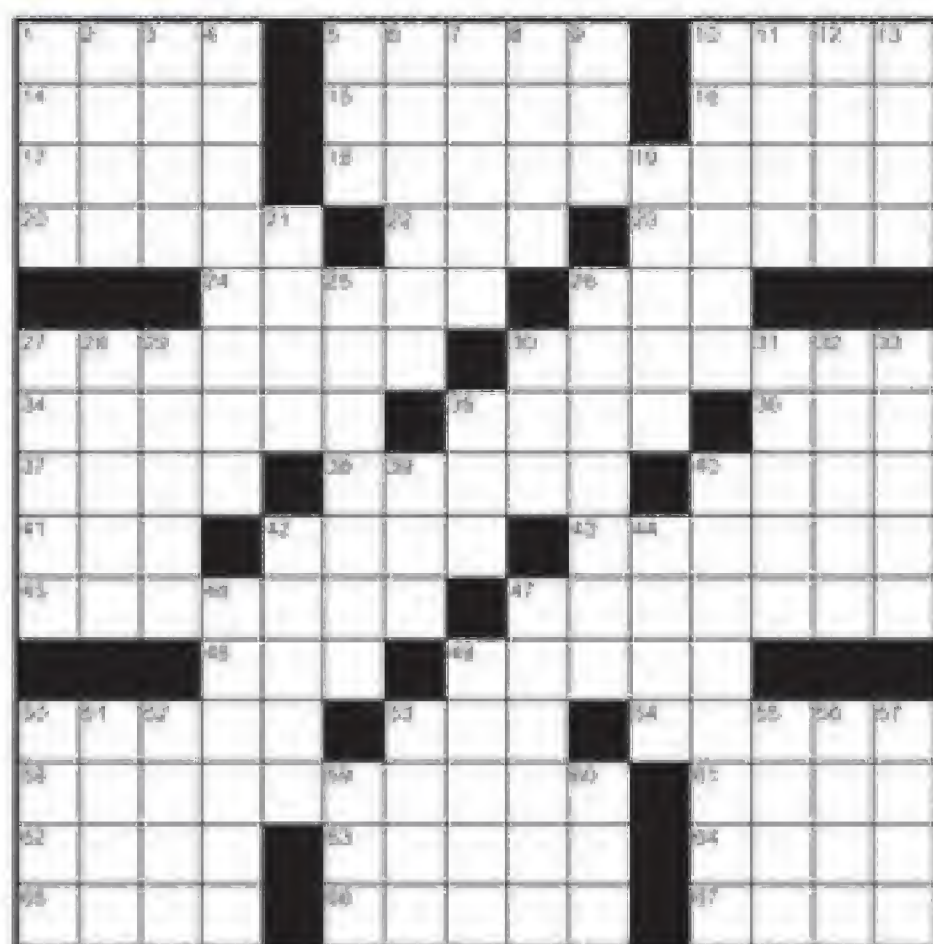
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- 5 Strength
- 10 Police bust
- 14 Stalactite site
- 15 Stage awards
- 16 Dagwood's neighbor boy
- 17 Mythic warmonger
- 18 Creepy feeling (2 wds.)
- 20 Bauxite giant
- 22 A mind of — own
- 23 Degrade
- 24 Amherst sch.
- 26 Lime cooler
- 27 What prisms do
- 30 Lofty bearing
- 34 Cochise, for one
- 35 Alumnus
- 36 Right, to a mule
- 37 Reminder
- 38 Mound builders
- 40 Pub pints
- 41 Freud, to himself
- 42 Paddock newborn
- 43 Made over

## Down

- 45 Color variation
- 47 Fleets
- 48 Caviar, actually
- 49 Turner ex
- 50 Felix's roommate
- 53 Whale group
- 54 Candy bar
- 58 Got a basket (2 wds.)
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- 63 Cuba neighbor
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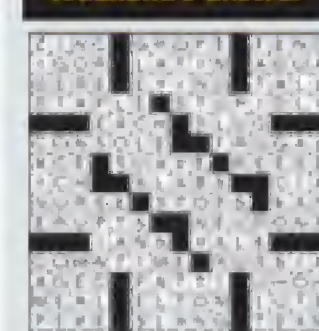
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- 8 Kinski film
- 9 Flight dir.
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- 11 Gluck of opera
- 12 Holy terrors
- 13 Rx amount
- 19 Deputy's need
- 21 Asian nanny
- 25 Cleaning fluid
- 26 Pilot's flap
- 27 Sari sporters
- 28 Important period
- 29 Jazz's "—" Hines
- 30 Smidgen
- 31 Ice structure
- 32 Ant-sized
- 33 Toadies' responses
- 35 Wire gauge
- 39 Scott Joplin piece
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- 44 Goals
- 46 Plays

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- 49 Mystic of India
- 50 Labor Dept. division
- 52 Disparaging remark
- 52 Knee neighbor
- 53 Pesky bug
- 55 White House staffer
- 56 Blackberry stem
- 57 Zen riddle
- 59 Kin of "um"
- 60 Quick swim



# With Manning done early, Brady vs. Luck top billing



Andrew Luck will play in his first AFC Championship game this Sunday at Gillette Stadium. / GETTY IMAGES

**NFL.** Tom Brady's Pats will host Andrew Luck's Colts in the AFC Championship game.

Tom Brady will not get a chance to snap his 2-2 head-to-head tie with Peyton Manning in the playoffs, because Manning pulled one of his classic January one-and-done jobs on Sunday and the Denver QB won't be in attendance at Gillette Stadium this upcoming Sunday in the AFC Championship game (6:30 p.m., CBS).

The 2-2 playoff score in the Brady vs. Manning rivalry does not do justice to how much better No. 12 has been when it matters most compared to No. 18. Manning again collapsed in the playoffs Sunday in Denver as his Broncos fell, 24-13, to young Andrew Luck and the Colts. It was the ninth time in 14 postseasons that Manning has been elimi-

## NFC

The Seahawks and Packers will meet in the NFC Championship game on Sunday (3 p.m., FOX)

- **Packers 26, Cowboys 21:** Perhaps justice was served to Dallas, which seemed to convert a key fourth-down pass to Dez Bryant near the goal line. Dallas was on the wrong end of an over-turned call this week, causing a turnover on down. Aaron Rodgers had a slow start but threw two second-half touchdown passes.

nated in the first postseason game he played and the sixth time it has happened at home. Manning hit on just 26-of-46 passes for 211 yards and threw just one touchdown pass. He finished the day with a 75.5 passer rating.

Luck, meanwhile, took a big step toward being regard-

ed as the NFL's premier signal caller. While he threw as many interceptions as touchdowns (two), Luck scored the game's lone second-half touchdown when he connected with Hakeem Nicks with 8:21 to go in the third quarter to put Indy up 21-10.

Luck now heads to New England to face a Patriots team that has clobbered him three separate times. Luck's Colts have been blown out by scores of 42-10, 43-22 and 59-24 in games against the Pats.

It will be a tall task for Luck to upset Brady in New England for sure. Brady looked like he was 28 years old again against Baltimore on Saturday night, hitting on 33-of-50 passes for 367 yards, three touchdowns and a pick in the Pats' narrow 35-31 win over the Ravens. Brady finished that game with a slick 99.3 passer rating.

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## JENNY JOKESTER STRIKES AGAIN

Jenn Sterger, of Brett Favre penis pic fame, was back in the sports news this past week and this time it involved a different famous quarterback with a proclivity for indiscretion.

Sterger, who has recently embarked on a stand-up comedy side-career, says that she wrote the joke that indirectly led to the video of Oregon players singing "No means No!" (to the tune of the Florida State Seminoles tomahawk chop cheer) at FSU quarterback Jameis Winston in last week's Rose

Bowl game.

"[I was asked] to write some roast jokes for [a comedy friend] and I said, 'Yeah, sure, I love being mean,'" Sterger told Bert Kreischer's podcast. "And I wrote a bunch of jokes, they crushed, and I mean, I ripped both teams to shreds and their respective rivals. I mean, the Gators were destroyed. But the joke that killed the hardest for Oregon, was, 'Hey guys, just have a great time in Hollywood, and remember 'Nooooo means nooooo!'"



JENN STERGER INDIRECTLY GOT OREGON PLAYERS IN TROUBLE.  
/ GETTY IMAGES

### Rex Ryan flees by foot to Buffalo

Welcome to Anchorbar, Rex! Be sure to try our world famous Buffalo toes, er, fingers.

Yup, Rex Ryan is taking his fetish for feet and his undeniable ability to keep the New England Patriots' offense in check to upstate New York as he agreed to a five-year deal to become head coach of the Buffalo Bills Sunday.

The way things have played out with Ryan over the course of the past few years has been nothing short of amazing. The big man went a horrid 26-38 as head coach of the Jets in the past four seasons, yet he was somehow the hottest coaching commodity available — outside of Jim Harbaugh — since the Black Monday sackings took place.

This goes to show what can be done if you keep the local media entertained for

### Playing the field

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an extended period of time and what can be done if you built up some level of trust with your players. Literally no one had a bad thing to say about Rex as he walked out the door in New Jersey, so much so that Jets owner Woody Johnson was openly recommending Rex to other teams.

With the news of Rex's hiring in Orchard Park, one Rex lover to watch going forward is current Pats cornerback Darrelle Revis. Buffalo was interested in Revis when he was on the trading block two years ago and the Bills will have significant cap space this offseason. Of course, it's still unknown what the Patriots are going to do with Revis. While he has given the Pats their best secondary since the Ty Law glory day of the early 2000s, he will have a cap figure of \$25 million in 2015, and New England probably doesn't think that's "great value" for a non-quarterback.



## SPORTS



## NFL

### Patriots formation 'legal'

Baltimore head coach John Harbaugh says there was "clear deception" when it came to formations the Patriots were using in the third quarter of Saturday's 35-31 New England win. "We wanted an opportunity to be able to identify who the eligible players were," Harbaugh told CBS. "Because what they were doing was they would announce the eligible player and Tom [Brady] would take it to the line right away and snap the ball before we even figured out who was lined up where. And that was the deception part of it." The NFL told the Baltimore Sun that "everything was legal from a formation standpoint."



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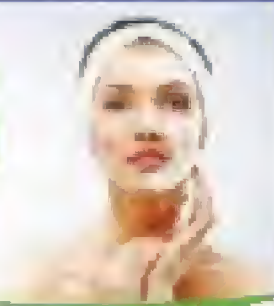
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### MORTGAGEE'S NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain Mortgage given by David S. Bullock to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for Lendia, Inc., its successors and assigns, dated November 5, 2007 and recorded with the Suffolk County Registry of Deeds at Book 42095, Page 40 subsequently assigned to National Mortgage LLC by Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for Lendia, Inc., its successors and assigns by assignment recorded in said Registry of Deeds at Book 51489, Page 66; of which Mortgage the undersigned is the present holder for breach of the conditions of said Mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing same will be sold at Public Auction at 1:00 PM on February 2, 2015 at 22 Branchfield Street, Unit A4, Boston (Dorchester), MA, all and singular the premises described in said Mortgage, to wit:

Exhibit "A" Legal Description  
Grosses: David S. Bullock  
Unit: A-4; PERCENTAGE INTEREST: .0529097  
Area: 562 square feet  
UNIT POST OFFICE ADDRESS: Unit A-4, 22 Branchfield Street, Dorchester, MA  
Consideration: \$135,000.00

GRANTOR, owner of the UNIT described above in 22 Branchfield Street Condominium created by Master Deed dated November 5, 1993 recorded with Suffolk County Registry of Deeds on November 6, 1993 in Book 18627, Page 218, as amended by instruments of record, in accordance with the provisions of G.L.c. 183A.

The Unit is conveyed together with the above listed percentage interest (1) in the common areas and facilities of the Condominium as described in the Master Deed.

(b) in the 22 Branchfield Street Condominium Trust, recorded with said Registry in Book 18627, Page 196. The Unit contains an area of 562 square feet approximately and is laid out as shown on a plan recorded with said Deeds with the Master Deed, and to which is affixed a verified statement in the form provided for in G.L.C. 183A, Section 9.

The Unit is conveyed together with:

1. an .0529097 percentage interest appertaining to said Unit in the common areas and facilities of the Condominium appurtenant to said Unit as set forth in said Master Deed.

2. the exclusive use of each porch, patio or balcony directly adjacent to the Unit subject to the right of other Unit Owners to pass therethrough in the event of fire or other emergency requiring such use and subject to the obligation to keep such common area clean and in good and safe order.

Said Unit is intended to be used solely for residential purposes as set forth in Section B of said Master Deed, and is conveyed subject to and with the benefit of the restrictions set forth in said Section 8 of said Master Deed and the rights of the Declarant set forth therein.

All present and future owners, tenants, visitors, servants and occupants of the Unit shall be subject to, and shall comply with, the provisions of this Unit Deed, the Master Deed, the Trust, the By-Laws and the Rules and Regulations, as they may be amended from time to time, and the items affecting the title to the property as set forth in the Master Deed. The acceptance of a deed or conveyance or the entering into occupancy of any Unit shall constitute an agreement that the provisions of this Unit Deed, the Master Deed, Trust, By-Laws and the Rules and Regulations, as they may be amended from time to time, and the said items affecting title to the property are accepted and ratified by such owner, tenant, visitor, servant and occupant, and all of such provisions shall be deemed and taken to be covenants running with the land and shall bind any person having at any time any interest or estate in the Unit, as though such provisions were recited and stipulated at length in each and every deed, conveyance or lease thereof.

Said Unit is conveyed subject to and with the benefit of:

- provisions of existing building and zoning laws;
- such taxes attributable to the Unit for the then current fiscal year as are not due and payable on the date of closing;
- any liens for municipal betterment assessed as of or after the date hereof;
- the provisions of the Act and the Condominium Documents including without limitation all obligations of the Unit Owners to pay a proportionate share of the common expenses of the Condominium;
- all easements, restrictions or agreements set forth or referred to in the condominium Documents; and
- all easements, restrictions or agreements of record and presently in force and applicable.

The premises are to be sold subject to and with the benefit of all easements, restrictions, building and zoning laws, liens, attorney's fees and costs pursuant to M.G.L.Ch.183A, unpaid taxes, tax titles, water bills, municipal liens and assessments, rights of tenants and parties in possession.

#### TERMS OF SALE:

A deposit of FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS AND 00 CENTS (\$5,000.00) in the form of a certified check or bank treasurer's check will be required to be delivered at or before the time the bid is offered. The successful bidder will be required to execute a Foreclosure Sale Agreement immediately after the close of the bidding. The balance of the purchase price shall be paid within thirty (30) days from the sale date in the form of a certified check, bank treasurer's check or other check satisfactory to Mortgagee's attorney. The Mortgagee reserves the right to bid at the sale, to reject any and all bids, to continue the sale and to amend the terms of the sale by written or oral announcement made before or during the foreclosure sale. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagee, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. The description of the premises contained in said mortgage shall control in the event of an error in this publication. TIME WILL BE OF THE ESSENCE.

Other terms if any, to be announced at the sale.

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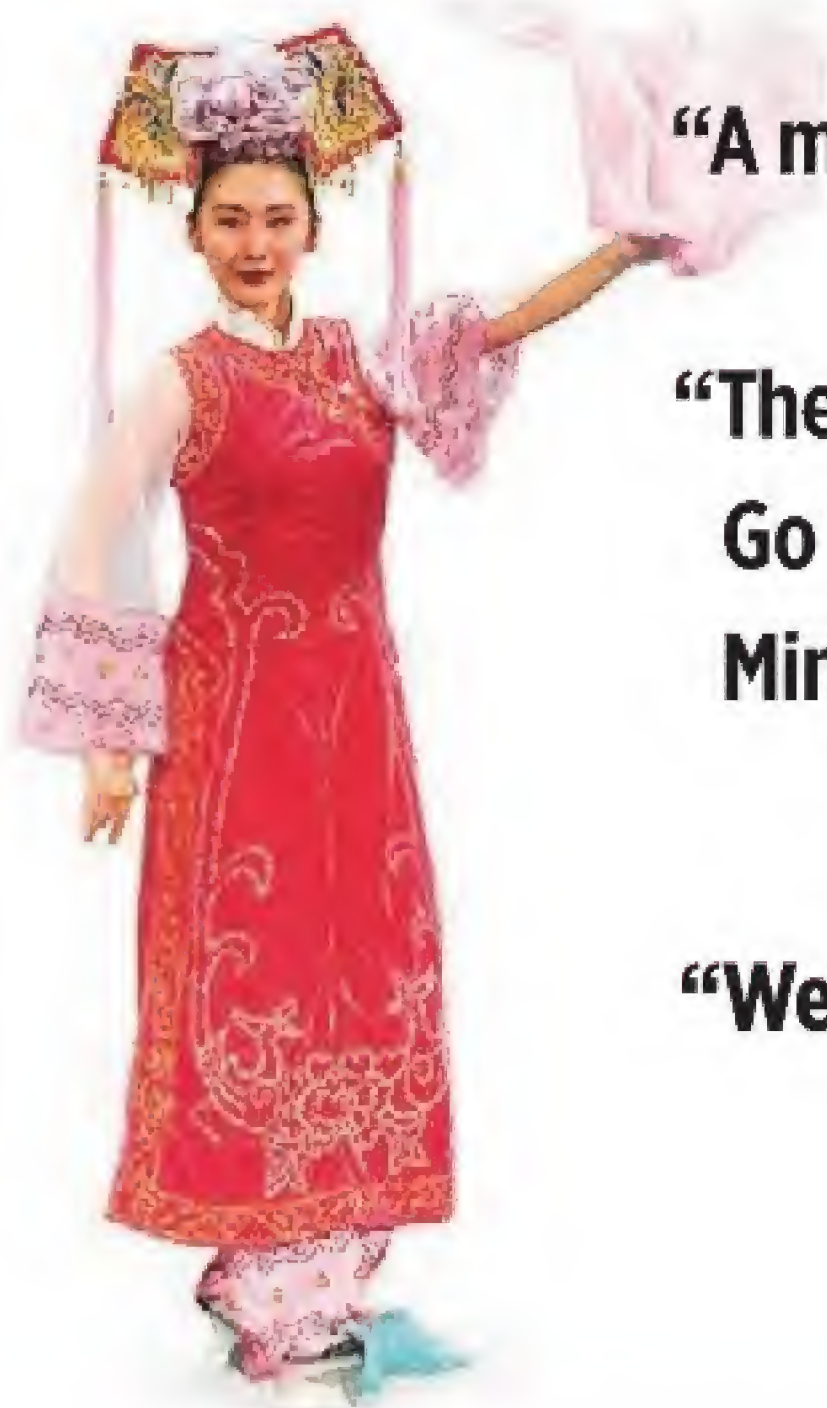
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